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James D. Crawford, Treasurer J R Simplot Company Political Action Committee P.O. Box 27 Boise, ID 83707

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Reference: 1995 Year End Report (7/1/95-12/31/95)

Dear Mr. Crawford:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

11(a)(i) discloses -Schedule A supporting Line contributions received through a payroll deduction plan. Generally, a committee's report must identify each contribution from an individual which in the aggregate exceeds \$200 during the calendar year. (2 U.S.C. \$434(b)) For your information, instead of separate itemization, a committee using a payroll deduction plan may disclose the aggregate amount of contributions received from the contributor through the payroll period; plan during the reporting deduction identification of the individual where the contribution exceeds \$200 in the aggregate during the calendar year; and a statement of the amount deducted per pay period. 11 CFR \$104.8(b)

Any amendment or clarification should be filed with the Federal Election Commission. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 219-3580.

Sincerely, Wandy Barbly

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